UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

Criminal Action No. 08-36M v.

IRA BLAND,

Defendant.

SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL AND ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE withdraw the appearance of Edson A. Bostic, Esquire as attorney of record and enter the appearance of Luis A. Ortiz, Esquire as attorney on behalf of Defendant, Ira Bland, in the above-captioned matter.

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